U.S. District Court Northern District of Georgia (Atlanta) CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:19-cv-01310-AT

Gooch v. Office of the Director of National Intelligence

Assigned to: Judge Amy Totenberg

Cause: 05:0552 Freedom of Information Act

Date Filed: 03/22/2019 Jury Demand: None

Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of

Information Act

Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Defendant

Plaintiff

Milton Gooch, III

represented by Milton Gooch, III

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V.

Defendant

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
03/22/2019	1	COMPLAINT filed by Milton Gooch, III. (Filing fee \$400.00, receipt number GAN100111238) (Attachments: # 1 Civil Cover Sheet)(eop) Please visit our website at http://www.gand.uscourts.gov/commonly-used-forms to obtain Pretrial Instructions

		and Pretrial Associated Forms which includes the Consent To Proceed Before U.S. Magistrate form. (Entered: 03/25/2019)
03/22/2019	2	Summons Issued as to Office of the Director of National Intelligence. (eop) (Entered: 03/25/2019)
03/22/2019	<u>3</u>	Summons Issued as to U. S. Attorney General. (eop) (Entered: 03/25/2019)
03/22/2019	4	Summons Issued as to U. S. Attorney. (eop) (Entered: 03/25/2019)
03/27/2019	<u>5</u>	Return of Service Executed by Milton Gooch, III. (Attachments: # 1 Return of Service Attorney General, # 2 Return of Service DNI)(bnp) (Entered: 03/28/2019)
04/01/2019	<u>6</u>	STANDING ORDER: GUIDELINES TO PARTIES AND COUNSEL PROCEEDING BEFORE THE HONORABLE AMY TOTENBERG. You are required to sign and file a Certificate of Compliance in a format consistent with the Certificate of Compliance attached hereto. To request to file material under seal, the Parties should follow the mechanism described in Section II(J) of Appendix H to the Court's Local Civil Rules. Signed by Judge Amy Totenberg on 4/1/2019. (bnp) (Entered: 04/01/2019)
04/01/2019		Clerk's Certificate of Mailing as to Milton Gooch, III re <u>6</u> Order. (bnp) (Entered: 04/01/2019)
04/05/2019	7	NOTICE Of Filing <i>Certificate of Compliance</i> by Milton Gooch, III (bnp) (Entered: 04/08/2019)
04/24/2019	<u>8</u>	ANSWER to 1 COMPLAINT by Office of the Director of National Intelligence. Discovery ends on 9/23/2019.(Manship, Flora) Please visit our website at http://www.gand.uscourts.gov to obtain Pretrial Instructions. (Entered: 04/24/2019)
04/24/2019	9	CERTIFICATE of Counsel re <u>6</u> Order, <i>Certificate of Compliance with Standing Order</i> by Flora Manship on behalf of Office of the Director of National Intelligence (Manship, Flora) (Entered: 04/24/2019)
05/24/2019	<u>10</u>	Initial Disclosures by Office of the Director of National Intelligence.(Manship, Flora) (Entered: 05/24/2019)
05/24/2019	<u>11</u>	Defendant's PRELIMINARY REPORT AND DISCOVERY PLAN filed by Office of the Director of National Intelligence. (Manship, Flora) Modified on 5/24/2019 to edit text (bnp). (Entered: 05/24/2019)
06/03/2019	<u>12</u>	Initial Disclosures filed by Milton Gooch, III.(aaq) (Entered: 06/04/2019)
06/03/2019	<u>13</u>	Plaintiff's PRELIMINARY REPORT AND DISCOVERY PLAN filed by Milton Gooch, III. (aaq) (Entered: 06/04/2019)
06/28/2019	<u>14</u>	ORDER re 11, 13 Preliminary Report and Discovery Plans. Plaintiff is DIRECTED to file a Notice with the Court WITHIN FOURTEEN DAYS OF THIS ORDER: (1) identifying specifically what documents or additional information Plaintiff contends Defendant has improperly withheld from production under FOIA; and (2) explaining in detail the basis for Plaintiff's contention that Defendant acted in bad faith in conducting an inadequate search for records in response to Plaintiff's FOIA request. Plaintiff is further DIRECTED to provide supporting documentation in Plaintiff's possession that would substantiate Plaintiff's contention that additional documents exist responsive to Plaintiff's FOIA request. Signed by Judge Amy Totenberg on 6/28/2019. (bnp) (Entered: 06/28/2019)
06/28/2019		Clerk's Certificate of Mailing as to Milton Gooch, III re <u>14</u> Order. (bnp) (Entered: 06/28/2019)
07/12/2019	<u>15</u>	RESPONSE to 14 Order Regarding Preliminary Report and Discovery Plan filed by Milton Gooch, III. (bnp) (Entered: 07/15/2019)
08/28/2019	<u>16</u>	Certification of Consent to Substitution of Counsel. Darcy F. Coty replacing attorney Flora Manship. (Coty, Darcy) (Entered: 08/28/2019)
09/06/2019	<u>17</u>	MOTION for Extension of Time to Seek Legal Counsel by Milton Gooch, III. (bnp) (Entered: 09/09/2019)

09/10/2019	<u>18</u>	NOTICE of Appearance by Trishanda L. Treadwell on behalf of Office of the Director of National Intelligence (Treadwell, Trishanda) (Entered: 09/10/2019)
09/12/2019	<u>19</u>	ORDER granting 17 Motion for Extension of Time to Seek Legal Counsel which the Court construes as a Motion to Stay all Deadlines. The Court STAYS all deadlines in the case for a period of 45 days from the date of this Order. In the event Plaintiff retains counsel, counsel should file a Notice of Appearance on the docket. Signed by Judge Amy Totenberg on 9/12/19. (bnp) (Entered: 09/12/2019)
09/12/2019		Clerk's Certificate of Mailing as to Milton Gooch, III re <u>19</u> Order. (bnp) (Entered: 09/12/2019)